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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the enclosed application and the transmittal letter be granted a filing date for purposes of National Filing Under 37 U.S.C. § 371.

A claim to priority under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of International Application PCT/NL00/00033 and the Netherlands Application No. 1011046, filed 15 January 1999 (06.01.99) is hereby made.

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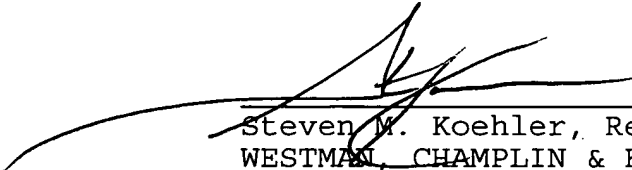
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